# Mountain Weather Forecast

## Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 21 Aug 2020 until 23:59 on Saturday 22 Aug 2020

Forecast Issued on Thursday 20 Aug 2020 at 17:00

**Confidence:** High for overall wet and windy story, low on location of strongest winds and heaviest showers.

**Headline for Friday 21 Aug 2020:** Wet and windy, drier during the afternoon.

**Mountain weather hazards on Friday 21 Aug 2020**

**Blizzards**
No Likelihood

**Heavy Snow**
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**
No Likelihood

**Gales**
High Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**
No Likelihood

**Poor visibility**
Medium Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**
Low Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**
No Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**
Medium Likelihood

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m** | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | | | |
| 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Heavy Rain | Heavy Rain | Heavy rain showers | Heavy rain showers | Light rain showers | Light rain showers | Sunny intervals | Partly cloudy (night) |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | | | |
| 90% | 80% | 70% | 70% | 60% | 40% | 30% | 30% |

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**Weather:** Strong south to southwesterly winds throughout the day, easing into the evening. Bands of heavy, persistent rain will push northeastwards through the morning with showers following behind. These showers will become fairly scattered through the afternoon, allowing some decent dry spells.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m:** Low through the morning but increasing chance through the afternoon.

**Visibility:** Good but moderate or poor in rain or showers.

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**Forecast for Friday 21 Aug 2020**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) | | | | | Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **600** | 54/74 SE | 45/62 S | 44/60 S | 41/58 SW | 42/59 SW | 36/52 SW | 29/42 SW | 30/42 SW | 30/42 SW |
| **300** | 29/51 SE | 23/42 S | 24/42 S | 23/40 SW | 25/43 SW | 22/38 SW | 16/30 SW | 14/27 SW | 16/28 SW |
| **Valley** | 25/50 SE | 20/40 S | 20/40 S | 19/38 SW | 21/40 SW | 19/37 SW | 14/29 SW | 12/27 SW | 13/27 SW |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **600** | 12/6 | 11/5 | 11/6 | 11/6 | 13/7 | 14/8 | 13/8 | 11/7 | 10/6 |
| **300** | 14/9 | 13/9 | 13/9 | 14/10 | 16/11 | 16/12 | 15/12 | 13/11 | 12/10 |
| **Valley** | 15/11 | 14/11 | 14/11 | 15/12 | 17/13 | 18/14 | 16/14 | 14/12 | 14/11 |
| **<< Freezing Level*** | 2500m | 2300m | 2500m | 2600m | 2500m | 2400m | 2300m | 2300m | 2200m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Meteorologist's View**

Gale or strong gale force at higher levels.

**Forecast for Saturday 22 Aug 2020**

**Weather:** Further rain early on Saturday morning, followed by scattered showers. Some sunny spells during the afternoon. Gusty winds easing into the afternoon.

**Maximum wind:** Southwesterly 20 gust 35 mph

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m:** Good outside of rain or showers.

**Visibility:** Generally good but moderate or poor in rain or showers.

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Plus 12 rising to plus 20 Celsius.
**At 700m:** Plus 13 Celsius.
**Freezing level:** Above summits

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